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NEW MARKET AND CAFÉ WORKING WITH LOWCOUNTRY FARMERS

BY SAMANTHA DAY

The day before the grand opening of Lowcountry Fresh, co-owner Andy Rolfe heard the song “A Change Is Gonna Come” by Sam Cooke on his way to his newest endeavor. This is exactly what he hopes Lowcountry Fresh will be for his community and local South Carolina farmers: a necessary and positive change.

“Agriculture helps makes South Carolina a great place to live,” Commissioner Weathers said to end his speech.

S.C. Sen. Tom Davis said Lowcountry Fresh is a success for the entire Bluffton community. It helps preserve the area’s sense of place, meaning



May 26 marked the grand opening of Lowcountry Fresh, a market and café located in Bluffton, South Carolina. Lowcountry Fresh carries fresh, tasty fruits and vegetables from farms located on the Sea Islands of South Carolina and elsewhere in the state. They also carry seafood straight from the ports, other meat products, and local artisan goods such as candles, soaps, and teas. The new business also acts as a food hub for the Lowcountry, which gives local farmers the opportunity to supply even more restaurants, school districts, and the like.

Owners Andy and Cindy Rolfe recognized key players in the opening of their newest endeavor during the ribbon cutting event. They were followed by speakers of local and state government officials.



Commissioner Hugh Weathers detailed how the Rolfs brought their dream, a plan, and their vision of Lowcountry Fresh to his office just two years prior. He highlighted the South Carolina Department of Agriculture’s role in the opening and how this business positively impacts local farmers, specifically members of the Gullah Farmers Cooperative. SCDA played a key role in building the lasting connections between these farmers and the Rolfs.

the Gullah culture and local farms won’t be lost or forgotten with the increasing development and infrastructure happening in the Lowcountry.

“People can look to a place like Lowcountry Fresh and say, ‘This is a way where you can be successful financially, but also in a way that gives back to the community and help preserve our sense of place,’” said Sen. Davis.

SCDA’s Agribusiness Center for Research and Entrepreneurship (ACRE) also played a role in the opening, having awarded Lowcountry Fresh the funds to purchase their delivery vehicle.

Lowcountry Fresh marks a new and consistent opportunity for South Carolina farmers, something SCDA strives to bring to the people who support the number one industry in the state, agribusiness.

COMMISSIONER'S CORNER

HUGH E. WEATHERS

SOUTH CAROLINA
COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE



WATCHING THE SKY

As of this writing, the weather in South Carolina is hot and getting hotter. It’s not yet June, and we’re already reaching 99 degrees in some parts of the state. I hope that by the time this issue of Market Bulletin is published, we’ll have had some rain, but forecasts so far are inconclusive.

Last week’s U.S. Drought Monitor map showed several parts of the state entering the “abnormally dry” category, and others in the first stages of drought.

Up to this point, the moderate temperatures, sunny weather, and a couple big rains have made for good planting. My own corn has been coming along well, and we’ve got cotton coming up.

But with the recent lack of rain, we are at a critical point where we are starting to hear concerns from farmers.

Pasture is starting to suffer a little, and the hay fields need rain. Non-irrigated crops are showing signs of drought stress, according to the latest USDA NASS reports. The drought map shows the Pee Dee region looking particularly dry.

If the drought worsens, we’ll start to worry about problems like animal stress and insect damage to crops.

One thing you can do to help is to make regular reports on the conditions in your area.

The state of South Carolina collaborates with the National Drought Mitigation Center and others to collect information on the effects of drought. State agencies including the South Carolina Department of Agriculture monitor conditions and help respond to and mitigate drought impacts. The data is used to help compile the weekly U.S. Drought Monitor map, which reflects drought conditions across the country.

Researchers and regulators use the drought map to trigger various drought responses. Reporting of drought conditions improves the targeting of federal disaster relief aid to farmers in affected areas, such as the Livestock Forage Disaster Program.

It’s easy to complete a report online: Go to go.unl.edu/cmor and click on the ‘Submit a Report’ link to complete the survey. You can remain anonymous or include contact information – either way is fine. You’ll be asked to rate how dry or wet the conditions are in your area, and to log any effects of drought or flooding like dry pasture or crop stress – even to upload a photo if you wish.

One more request. Pray for rain.

Hugh Weathers

UPCOMING EVENTS

SC Ag + Art Tour

Weekends in June
The South Carolina Ag + Art Tour is a free, self-guided tour of farms featuring local artisans at every stop. Visit the website to find dates for counties near you and plan your tour of some of our state's best homegrown and handmade experiences!
clemson.edu/extension/agandarttour

Elf Leaf Farm U-pick Lavender

June 3 – 27 (Thursday – Sunday) • 9 am – 4 pm
Visit the farm to pick your own lavender, enjoy beautiful views of Hogback Mountain, and shop the farm store for all things lavender.
Elf Leaf Farm
141 N. Campbell Road, Landrum
864-331-9866 • theelves@elfleaffarm.com
elfleaffarm.com

Twin Creeks Lavender 3rd Annual U pick

June 4 – 6 & 11 – 13 • 9 am – 2 pm
U pick days include lavender picking, shopping handmade products, and picnics are welcome. We will have 7 varieties of lavender to choose from. Pick as much as you like. Your cut bundles will be measured in \$5, \$10, or \$15 increments and banded for you at checkout. Tickets: Pre-registered admission on Eventbrite is \$5. Children 5 years and under and adults 65 years and older get in free. Walk-up admission is \$6 and subject to availability.
Twin Creeks Lavender
4740 Midway Road, Williamston
864-940-1684
facebook.com/twincreekslavender

Fire Barrel Farm Vendor Event for Ag & Art

June 5 • 10 am – 4 pm
June 6 • 1 – 5 pm
Join us for the Ag & Art tour. We will have 20 craft vendors, blacksmith demonstration, honey bee questions and answers, old fashioned lye soap making, farm tour, egg gathering, milking a goat, hot dogs, boil peanuts, drinks, kettle corn and skins. Visit our Facebook page for more information.
Fire Barrel Farm
306 George Derrick Road, Swansea
803-917-9565 • lxwilliamsa@aol.com
facebook.com/GoatDairyFarm

Ag & Art Tour at THE FARM 1780

June 5 & 6 • 10 am – 4
The Lexington Ag + Art Tour is a free, self-guided tour of farms featuring local artisans at every stop. See first hand where your food comes from, watch local artists in action, purchase something special and learn more about rural life in Lexington, SC.
The Farm 1780
1127 Corley Mill Road, Lexington
Contact: Jade Tiner, General Manager
239-851-6139 • manager@thefarm1780.com
thefarm1780.com/events-at-the-farm

First Saturday on the Farm: Plant a Food Forest: Permaculture

June 5 • 10 am - 2pm
Food forests and other permaculture techniques mimic nature and can provide a wealth of sustainable food in a small footprint. Join us as we convert an animal paddock into a thriving food forest. We will cover hugelkultur beds, food forest design and layering, and food guilds. Think you don't have enough space for a food forest? You can grow as many as 300 species on a ¼-acre lot! Farm tour and Farm Fresh Lunch included! \$40
Project Victory Gardens
414 Wire Road, Aiken
803-679-3666 • projectvictorygardens@gmail.com
projectvictorygardens.org/event-details/plant-a-food-forest-permaculture

Nightbirds in the Sandhills

June 12 • 7:30 – 9 pm
Find and enjoy the owls, nighthawks, and nightjars – six species are possible! This event will be led by Dr. Shawn Smolen-Morton. You'll drive from spot to spot on the main refuge roads to look and listen; take pictures if possible; record calls and songs of night birds; and learn about night birds and their habitat. No equipment is needed, but a pair of binoculars will be helpful. They will have a scope, field guide books, and light. The event is free of charge, but pre-registration is required. The event will be limited to 15 participants. To register, or for more information, please call or email.
Carolina Sandhills National Wildlife Refuge
23734 Hwy 1, McBee
843-335-8350 • carolinasandhills@fws.gov

SALES & AUCTIONS

Claxton's Auction

June 5 & 12 • 11 am
Every Saturday. Equine, cows, sheep, goats, pigs, camelots, ratites, poultry, and small animals.
18627 Lowcountry Hwy, Ruffin
Contact: William Claxton
843-909-4285 • wlcjr@yahoo.com

Duke's Auction

June 12 • 8:30 am
Farm equipment, tractors, dozers, trailers, vehicles, implements, harrows, skid steer attachments, grain drills, wagons, lumber, hay equipment, and more.
5526 Savannah Hwy, North
Contact: Donald Dukes
803-533-9333 • dukesauctiongroup@att.net
dukesauctiongroup.com

SCDA State Farmers Markets

SOUTH CAROLINA STATE FARMERS MARKET 3483 Charleston Highway West Columbia, SC 29172 803-737-4664	GREENVILLE STATE FARMERS MARKET 1354 Rutherford Road Greenville, SC 29609 864-244-4023	PEE DEE STATE FARMERS MARKET 2513 W. Lucas Street Florence, SC 29501 843-665-5154	VISIT AGRICULTURE.SC.GOV Click on the State Farmers Markets button for more information about each location
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AQUACULTURE

BLUEGILL

50¢; Bass, \$2; Catfish, 75¢; Grass Carp, \$10; Minnows, \$20; Crappie, \$2; Hybrid, \$2; del
Derek Long
Newberry
803-276-2070

STER CARP

\$12 each; 1-3" Blgl/Shlckr, \$55/100; 1-3" LM Bass, \$150/100; Chan Cat, \$60/100; Gambusia, \$40/100; more
Clay Chappell
Richland
803-776-4923

3-6" KOI FISH

\$3-5
Tommy Sherman
Laurens
864-546-2778

CATTLE

REG RED ANG BULL

6 y/o, gentle, calving ease, \$2600
J P Rushton
Saluda
803-275-2778

REG 2 Y/O SG BULL

\$2000
Kevin Smith
Richland
803-606-1682

15 M/O PB BULLS

blk Brangus & Ultra blk, calving ease, \$1850+
Daniel Chassereau
Bamberg
803-267-4880

REG ANG BULL

Yon & GAR lines, gentle, B-12/16, \$2800
Dargan Etheredge
Calhoun
803-238-2122

F1 BLK BALDY HEFR

shots UTD, 12 m/o, exc genetics, gentle, \$900; more
Gene McCarthy
Edgefield
803-270-4839

BLK ANG BULLS

yrlds & 2 y/o, exc b'lines, good calving ease, \$1500+
Wesley Miller
Lexington
803-917-1793

REG BFMSTR BULLS

\$1500+
Joseph Logan
Greenwood
864-227-1868

REG ANG BULLS

2 y/o, AI Tahoe, Hoover Dam, hefrs & prs, \$1500-3500
Bobby Baker
Lancaster
803-804-2230

4 REG ANG BULLS

14-22 m/o, sired by Alliance, \$1200-1500
Wade Parnell
Anderson
864-338-5678

7 M/O JERSEY STEER

raised from cow, \$450
Mike Komar
Lexington
803-582-8132

BBU REG BFMST BULLS

exc ped & conform, \$2000+, depending on age & conf
James Dyches
York
803-230-4952

BLK ANG RPLCMNT HEFRS

reg, 1 y/o+, \$1000 each
Jacky Whitaker
York
803-925-2129

REG ANG BULLS

sired by Basin Payweight, 15-16 m/o, good dispo & muscling, \$2000+
Bruce Stuart
Aiken
803-645-0378

REG BLK ANG BULLS

proven genetics, 16-27 m/o, low BW, exc ft & muscle, BSE, comp EPDs, perf info, \$3000+
Dixon Shealy
Newberry
803-629-1174

3 Y/O RG ANG BULL

proven calving ease, Fescue resistant, mother w/ longevity, gentle, \$2100
Eddie Martin
Anderson
864-296-0454

LIMO & LIMO-FLEX BULLS

reg, red & blk, B-1/1- 4/1/2020, out of high% cows & FB bull, \$1000+, can del for fee
James Langston
Pickens
864-859-6794

BFMSTR BULLS

1 reg blk, 12 m/o, \$1700; PB red bull, 24 m/o, \$1500; 12 m/o, \$1300+
John Steele
Lancaster
803-283-7720

RED POLL YRLG BULLS

& hefrs, FB, sired by '17 NAILE Reserve Grand Champion, \$1800-2500
J Wyatt
Marlboro
803-651-3086

SIM & SIMANG BULLS

late yrlds, reg, AI breeding, \$2500+
Jim Rathwell
Pickens
864-637-8131

(2) 15 M/O BULLS

Payweight sons, low BW; 1 Future Focus 219, \$1800 ea
Paul Kicidis
Union
864-429-6112

BLK ANG BULLS

16 m/o, \$1400; 1 y/o, \$1200, both tame; 7 m/o blk Ang bull, \$750
L Gunter
Lexington
803-532-7394

FARM EQUIPMENT

ADS MAY NOT BE SUBMITTED BY COMMERCIAL DEALERS. A CURRENT FARM TAG ISSUED BY THE SCDMV IS REQUIRED ON ALL FARM VEHICLES.

HD 3 BTM PLOW

Super Chief X-series, \$500
R Adams
Darlington
843-393-7280

BOOM MWR

Hardee LR40142, LN, \$8000
Danny Hooker
Colleton
843-893-3060

FMC SIDEWINDER

tire drive, 6' mwr-brush cutter, needs new blades, \$500
Talmadge Crews
Laurens
864-682-9165

16' HD TRL W/RAMPS

Tandem axle, needs floor, \$500
Howard Cooper
Spartanburg
864-494-5835

MF SQ BALER

\$1000; ldr, \$300; Hole King 3pt auger, \$250; scraper for tractor, \$200
Wayne Durham
Cherokee
864-316-5846

MF 10PT CHISEL PLOW

\$1500; MF or Intl 4r cult, \$700 each; Ford 2r or 4r cult, \$700
Plato Kneece
Aiken
803-582-8665

CASE IH 75C W/LDR

shed kept, mod L620, 260 hr, \$40,000
Manning Richardson
Lee
803-459-2056

'52 FORD 8N

GC, \$3000; 9 shank chisel plow, \$650
Jimmy Wilson
Anderson
864-923-2348

INTL 674 DSL TRACTOR

working, LN, 16.9-38 rear tires, hard top, 6' bush hog, \$8000 obo
Pat Blue
York
803-242-0095

SINGLE ROW CULT

for 3 ph, \$95
Larry Mcleod
Sumter
803-481-9093

RANCHWORX AERATOR

used on 100A, \$8500
Charles Swain
Aiken
803-295-2467

NH 273 SQ BALER

shed kept, 750 sq's baled last yr, \$2200
Ken Hunter
Chester
803-374-0448

JD 2R PLNTR

& 2r cult, \$1200
J P Rushton
Saluda
803-275-2778

2 FORD TRACTORS

8N & 9N, \$2975 each
Michale Stevens
Aiken
803-663-3715

JD 450B BULL DOZER

hyd tilt blade, many new parts, \$12,650 obro
F Rowe
Newberry
803-271-7768

MF RND HAY BALER

\$4000; NH sq baler, \$2000; dbl hay rake, \$500; hay tedder, \$750; NH tractor TL80, \$25,000; more
James Odom
Darlington
843-326-5445

VERMEER 505I RND BALER

shed kept, \$3200; Vermeer 7030 disc mwr, 3ph, \$300
Keith Haynes
Spartanburg
864-909-0940

NH 1725/WOOD'S 1008 LDR

1089 hrs, turf tires, used in landscaping, \$5500 obo
Randy Jones
Orangeburg
803-206-5006

(2) 52 MOLINE TRACTORS

driven to shed, 18+ yrs, not used, \$2200
Vance Clinkscates
Anderson
864-225-6084

AC DISC

40 blades, \$1200; Paulk 4r land plaster machine, \$200
Manning Bair
Dorchester
843-563-4114

GRAIN AUGER

41'x6", GWC, \$2000
Victor Smith
Berkeley
843-688-5353

FELLER BUNCHER

Hydro Ax 611EX, 7500 hrs, starts/runs well, newer saw head, \$14,500 obo
Dakota Hollman
Lexington
803-687-6382

LIME/FERT SPRDR BED

by New Leader, not stainless, FC, \$1800
Drake Kinley
Anderson
864-353-9628

8N FORD

lights, 3ph, runs good, \$2500 obo; JD old pull type disc, \$350; 3pt 5' Gill box blade, \$500
Rickie Evans
Chester
803-209-2714

965 JD SWITCH PLOW

GC, \$3000
Christopher Derrick
Edgefield
803-480-0465

7' GRABBLE BUCKET

GC, \$2200; 2r 3ph cultiv, \$400; 4'x8' Tandem axle trl, all metal, \$3500
D L Dimery
Lexington
803-730-8478

TONUTTI HAY TEDDER

mod GT310, 2 basket, 3ph, GC, field ready, \$975
Danny Leitner
Fairfield
843-200-0887

HAY EXPRESS HAULER

GN, 5 bale, \$2000; 6' Hardee pull type rotary cutter \$300; 7' 3ph Morra disc mower, \$1200
Jimmie Rivers
Chesterfield
843-634-6849

BARE ROOT TRNSPLNTR

or plug, w/barrel, Mechanical Transplanter Co mod 1000, light use, \$2500 obo
John Mahon
Chesterfield
843-910-7352

CAT D6C

\$22,000; JD 110 backhoe, \$20,000; JD 730, \$9500; JD 630 & JD 530, both \$7200; Kaufman GN, \$8500
Ronald McGraw
Lancaster
704-547-1832

'75 MF 235 TRACTOR

GC, PS, dsl, \$4500
Barney Williams
Lexington
803-543-8715

FA 230

GRC, 1 new rear tire, foam in frt tires, will not reverse, \$1500 obo
William Timmerman
Aiken
803-640-6265

ENROSSI 8 WHL V-RAKE

hyd fold, under shed, GC, \$2800, cash only
Randy Orr
Anderson
864-295-3736

INTL 140 TRACTOR

w/cult & distrib, 3pt, \$7000; 53'x8" grain auger, \$3000
Jeffrey Gilmore
Chesterfield
843-517-0315

2 BTM PLOW

Long mod 2014, \$340; Dearborn mod 10-80 2 disc plow, \$435; 1r cult, \$365
Carl Agner
Cherokee
864-839-9564

CASE DISC CUTTER

mod 3206, partially disassembled, gearbox is good, \$400
Jerry Comeaux
Saluda
864-992-3869

SPIKE HARROW MOD STH84

80"Wx40"D, 3ph mntd, \$400
Dennis Fraley
Beaufort
843-598-1150

FINISHING MWR

Woods Heritage RD60, \$1650; 4 whl hay rake, 3pt, 13'+, \$550; both in GC
Kent Jewell
Lancaster
803-320-3708

'07 INTL 4300

6sp refer truck, refer not working, good DOT sticker, as is, \$15,000 obo, text or call
Franklin Brown
Charleston
843-224-4711

CASE IH 1020 HEADER

30', \$2500; module builder, \$2000
Danny McAlhaney
Bamberg
803-793-7095

3 BLADE TURN PLOW

HD Pittsburg, new pts, \$800 obo
Bobby Johnson
Georgetown
843-264-8864

IH 1440 COMBINE

GC, \$9000
Charles Nichols
Saluda
864-445-8350

6000 BU GRAIN BIN

w/dryer & blower, \$1500 for all, will separate
Ben Joe Smith
Jasper
843-726-1021

JD 6500 SPRYR

w/60' frt fold boom, \$25,000; JD 1700 6r Max Emerge+ vac plntr, \$14,500
Joe Phillips
Lexington
803-600-2928

16' PONDEROSA GN TRL

horse/stock, torsion axles, elec brake, orig cond, \$4200
Robert Hurley
Laurens
864-981-5352

'87 FORD 2810 TRACTOR

dsl, 825 hrs, \$7000; 2 bush hogs, 6' Hardee, \$1000 & 5' Massey, \$750; boom, \$75; all VGC
Bill Caughman
Lexington
803-687-0280

WOODS 6' MWR

used 75 hrs, \$2175; Simca/Belco 6' tiller, used 10 hrs, \$1325; both Cat, 1 & 3 y/o, shed kept
Tom Kirkley
Lancaster
803-246-8195

FARM LABOR

NOTICES ARE ACCEPTED FOR AGRICULTURAL WORK ONLY AND NOT FOR HOUSEWORK, NURSING, OR COMPANIONSHIP NEEDS.

PASTURE MOWING fence line spraying, call for pricing Austin Cathcart Fairfield 803-603-7346	BEE SWARM REMOVAL Richland, Calhoun, Sumter counties James Christmas Richland 803-920-6440	DOZER/TRACKHOE WORK land clearing, demolition, ponds, driveways, roads, dirt, free est Jeffery Spires Bamberg 803-515-4946	LIGHT TRACTOR WORK to incl bush hogging, discing, cut up & removal of downed trees, light landscaping John Tanner Lexington 803-422-4714	PASTURE MGMT SERV spray weeds, treat fire ants, fert & lime; plant Bermuda & Bahia Kenny Mullis Richland 803-331-6612	STUMP GRINDING tree work, tractor work hauling w/dump trl, Aiken area Jamey Bledsoe Aiken 803-645-4298
TRACTOR WORK light bush hogging Glenn Goins Lexington 803-381-8287	TRACTOR RESTORATION paint, pressure wash, mechanic & radiator work on any tractor or hvy equip; welding, more Billy Gallman Newberry 803-276-7171	TRACTOR WORK frt end ldr, dirt blade, bush hog, chain saw trees, also backhoe work w/in 20 mi David Wannamaker Calhoun 803-682-2117	DOZER/TRACKHOE WORK build & repair ponds, demo, tree removal, land clearing, roads, free est James Hughes Greenwood 864-227-8257	LEXCO TACK CLEANING leather bridles, saddles, harnesses & accessories, your place or mine Laurie Knapp Lexington 803-317-7613	LIME SPREADING specialize in bulk TN lime, call for est Drake Kinley Anderson 864-353-9628
TRACTOR REPAIR restoration, all types, 50 yr exp George Bush Lexington 803-640-1949					

FARM LAND

FARM LAND MUST BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY THE OWNER, NOT AN AGENT. TRACTS MUST BE AT LEAST 5 ACRES UNDER CULTIVATION, TIMBER, OR PASTURE. OUT-OF-STATE OWNERS – NOT REAL ESTATE AGENTS – MAY NOW SUBMIT ADS FOR LAND IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

WANT 5+A FARM LAND to rent/buy, for gardening, w/elec, water, septic, 50 mi of Greenville/Spartanburg Melanie Forguson Spartanburg 864-380-9546	190A 17 Y/O PINE 21A hdwd, near I-77 mile marker 38, new survey, \$546,000, finance poss, no leases Terry Mills York 803-322-4560	WANT 5-100A COLLETON CO prefer lower part of county, reasonably priced Donald Stringfield Colleton 843-906-0631	WANT 5+A FARM LAND w/water & elect, Fairfield Co & surrounding areas Mason Motley Richland 803-600-2053	18.4A TIMBER Borden/Rembert area, deer/turkeys/hogs/food plots/homesite, good hunting, \$48,000 Kim Carter Sumter 843-206-1680	20+A WARE PLACE Hwy 25, prev cult in corn/planted, w/25 yr solar lease starting in 2022, \$220,000 Stephen Gedosch Greenville 864-982-4490
41+/- A SALLEY mostly wooded, w/wet branch, poss sm pond site, fronts 2 rds, \$130,000 Barney Williams Lexington 803-543-8715	36A PULPWOOD TIMBER good deer hunting, above Winnsboro, \$86,000 Carl Gulledege Fairfield 803-530-8885	160A FOR LEASE wooded, 10A in Sunflowers, 8A in Clay Peas, 14A Brn Top Millet, hunting, deer David Bell Clarendon 843-209-1692	PASTURE ON 10+A for rent, vet records req, shed avail, good riding location, \$225/mon Patty Jackson Cherokee 864-316-0741		

FRESH PRODUCE

PRODUCE MUST BE RAW AND NON-PROCESSED. RAW MILK, BUTTER, AND CHEESE PRODUCTS MUST BE PERMITTED BY THE SC DEPT. OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL. AN EGG LICENSE IS NOT REQUIRED FOR ON-FARM POINTS OF SALE.

QUAIL EGGS \$4/dozen Melvin Gaulden York 803-324-0071	FARM FRESH CHICKEN EGGS free range, multi colors, \$2.50/dozen, text for p-up Mike Mckinney Laurens 864-630-6137	PECANS shelled & cleaned, whole halves, \$9/lb Billy Gallman Newberry 803-276-7171	FARM FRESH EGGS no hormones/steroids, \$2/dozen Jay Ellisor Lexington 803-413-7063	SHELLED PECANS \$10/lb shelled & cleaned, p-up in Newberry or Irmo Russell Shealy Newberry 803-944-7316	DRY VA PNUTS for roasting, hand graded in bu bags, \$30 each; \$15/½ bu Richard Rentz Bamberg 803-793-7642
FRESH FARM EGGS \$3.50/dozen Christy Tallman Pickens 864-506-0377					

GOATS / LLAMAS / SHEEP

2 DORSET RAM LAMBS polled, B-12/14 & 12/22, reg sire & dame, \$400 Terry Bradley Lexington 859-202-1920	3 M/O GOATS Nubian & NGN Dwarf, \$350 each Brenda Gray Sumter 803-825-1856	MOON SPOTTED GOATS 2 nannies, \$250 each Jack Hurst Chesterfield 843-921-8574	NGN DWARFS B-early Apr, blue eyed billy, \$200; brn eyed billy, \$150; blue eyed doe, \$300; brn eyed doe, \$250 Mike Mckinney Laurens 864-630-6137	ANGORA GOATS wethers \$150; does, \$200; bucks, \$250, mostly not reg, can be Emily Simon Lancaster 803-627-7850	18 M/O BILLY GOAT Boer red head, \$225 Walter Blake Orangeburg 803-682-3965
¾ BOER ¾ MILK GOATS B-11/27-28/20, billies/\$150 each; nannies/\$200 each Philip Poole Union 864-427-1589	4 M/O RAM LAMBS Katahdin x Dorper, photos avail, \$200 Dennis Hurley Sumter 843-659-8775	NGN DWARF GOATS bottle kids avail, disbudded, clean herd, with or w/o papers, \$150-300 Tiffany Mizell Charleston 843-469-8539			

GARDEN

ADS ARE NOT ACCEPTED FROM COMMERCIAL NURSERIES, WHICH ARE DEFINED AS HAVING ANNUAL SALES OF \$5,000.

3 GAL BANANA TREES \$15 ea; Lemon grass, 3 gal, \$8 ea; Betterboy tomatoes & eggplants, pots, \$3 ea; no ship Larry Johnson Orangeburg 803-664-4213	BLKBERRY PLANTS lrg early bearing, gal pot, \$10 each Melvin Gaulden York 803-324-0071
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HOGS

FB BERKSHIRE PIGS M & F, \$150 each, call for more info J Painter Spartanburg 864-641-9855	HOGS & PIGS \$50+ Earl Watts Lexington 803-794-9049
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JAP MAPLES \$25; Ginkgo's, \$15; Figs, \$10; 10 gal Nellie R Stevens, \$25 George Luthren Lexington 803-319-1380	MONKEY GRASS aka Liriope, hosta, \$4 each; Iris, Daylily, \$5 each; Hydrangea, Gardenia, \$8.50 each Woody Ellenburg Pickens 864-855-2565	HOLLYHOCKS Dahlias, Hydrangea, 1 gal, \$4 ea; Freesias & Daylilies, 1 gal, \$3 ea; Angel Trumpets, \$12 ea; more Larry Johnson Orangeburg 803-664-4213	3 GAL AZALEAS \$8; 1 gal Azaleas, Lorepedlum, Boxwoods, Gardenias, \$5; Tea Olives, \$10; Angel Trumpet, \$20 FC Noles Barnwell 803-383-4066	SAWTOOTH OAK SEEDLINGS 8”T, fast growing shade trees, \$1 each Sandra Storey Lexington 803-513-0021	CANNAS min 1 dozen each color, Pres red, yellow, Bengal tiger, no ship, \$10/dozen Robert Yonce Aiken 803-685-7240
DAYLILY \$10; Liriope, red Honeysuckle, Virginia creeper, yellow Jessamine, \$5 SR Pound Lexington 803-466-2051	BLK WALNUT TREES 1 y/o, in 3 gal pots, \$15 each D L Dimery Lexington 803-796-2995				

HAY & GRAIN

HQ CB
tight bales, \$8/bale, can del
Victor Smith
Berkeley
843-688-5353

'WHEAT
\$10; Soybeans, for deer, \$20;
all 50lb bags
Plato Kneece
Aiken
803-582-8665

'20 FESCUE/MIXED GRASS
4x4 rnd, NR, land fert, no
manure, barn stored, \$40
Billy Gallman
Newberry
803-276-7171

'20 4x5 MIXED GRASS
\$20/bale
Gene Robinson
York
803-684-9423

'21 SQ FESCUE
NR, in barn, \$5 each
Jerry Butler
Laurens
864-697-6343

SQ ALFALFA BALES
\$10; Alfalfa/grass mix, \$8;
Fescue, \$6
Jackie Rogers
Spartanburg
864-381-5971

'21 BLACK OAT HAY
net rnd, high protein, in
barn, clean & fert, \$45/bale
Rodney Lowe
Anderson
864-844-3878

'20 900 LB CB
\$25/field; \$45/barn; Bahia,
900 lb, \$10
Tom Thorton
Lexington
803-960-4068

'20 HQ FESCUE
4x5 rnd, shed kept, NR,
Pauline area, \$45 each
John Graham
Spartanburg
864-809-0104

'21 OAT HAY
high qual, fert twice, 4x5
rnd twine wrap bales, barn
stored, \$50, bulk disc
Austin Cathcart
Fairfield
803-603-7346

NW ALFALFA
3x3x8, 900 lbs, \$200; 3x4x8,
1500 lbs, \$260; Timothy/
Alfalfa, 3x3x8, 900 lbs, \$180,
cash sales
Chris Roux
Cherokee
864-906-5471

4x5 RND MIXED GRASS
GQ, can del, \$30
David Gardner
Saluda
803-730-3485

100 SQ CB BALES
GQ, under shed, \$6/bale, at
the barn
Charles Davis
Orangeburg
803-516-2186

'20 LRG CB BALES
in barn, \$40 each, del avail
for extra chg
Stephen Gedosch
Greenville
864-982-4490

SQ RYE STRAW
shed kept, \$4.50 each
Howard McCartha
Lexington
803-312-3316

4x5 RND FESCUE
net wrap, shed stored on
pallets, \$50, del avail for fee
Otis Hembree
Spartanburg
864-316-1222

BAHIA TIFTON 9
high moisture, \$15
Danny McAlhaney
Bamberg
803-793-7095

'20 & 21 CB
net wrap, shed kept, \$40 &
\$45; '21 Alfalfa sqs, \$12
Tom Fink
Lexington
803-622-4678

'21 FESCUE & RYE GRASS
HQ & CQ, rnd bales, fert,
limed, sprayed, \$25-35/bale,
del avail
Donald Counts
Newberry
803-315-1016

4x5 BAHIA
Crabgrass, Bermuda & Clover
Buffet, CQ, '20 1st & 2nd
cuttings, net wrap, \$30 each
Andrew Criswell
Darlington
843-229-6395

4x5 CB
\$50; 4x5 Crabgrass-Millet,
\$35; sq Rye straw, \$4.50; all
shed kept
Larry McCartha
Lexington
803-606-2499

'21 FESCUE 4x5 RND
net, sprayed, fert, shed kept,
local del avail
Michael Marini
Greenwood
864-344-8182

HQ SQ CB
in barn, McBee area, no
litter used, del avail, \$6
George McCoy
Chesterfield
843-307-8866

OAT & RYE GRASS
\$30; Fescue, \$25; grass mix,
\$25; all 4x5 & net wrap
Charles Nichols
Saluda
864-445-8350

'21 SQ OAT STRAW
\$4.50 each; '21 combine run
oats, \$4.50/loose bu
Brett Wiggins
Colleton
843-631-0914

'20 HQ 4x5 RND CB
net wrap, \$50 each, or 50
bls for \$2000; free del on
10+bls w/in 25 mi of Pelion
Terry King
Lexington
803-381-6177

'21 SQ FESCUE
\$5/bale, del avail at extra
cost & min load
Jim Wells
York
704-533-4022

'20 4x5 RND FESCUE
fert, barn kept, \$35
Brad Griffith
Anderson
864-419-0614

'21 HQ FESCUE
lrg sq, NR, fert, in barn,
\$4.50/bale
Don Hall
Greenville
864-303-8472

'20 HQ RND CB
string wrap, \$40; crab grass
& brown top, \$35; all shed
kept
Clayton Leaphart
Lexington
803-892-2642

20 4x5 CB
net wrap, shed stored, \$50;
outside stored, \$45, del avail
w/in 50 mi
Bobby Zimmerman
Lexington
803-317-8681

'21 4x5 FESCUE
HQ, shed kept, \$35
Wesley Boland
Newberry
803-768-2010

MISCELLANEOUS

ROBIN BUILDERS GRNHS
10x14 w/fiberglass siding,
2 windows, 18" shelves on
3 sides, wired for elec, GC,
\$2200 obro
Jesse Eubanks
Lexington
803-580-7551

IRRIG SYSTEM 180
brass sprinklers, 4500' pipe,
booster pump & more, \$7800
John Faris
Spartanburg
864-573-9311

TRACTOR TURF TIRES
set of 4, used, on 6 lug
Kubota rims, \$950
Wayne Earn
Chesterfield
843-335-8417

4 WHL HAY WAGONS
\$500; 4 steel rims, for mule
wagon, \$400
FC Noles
Barnwell
803-383-4066

RAM PUMP
nvr used, \$1100
Michale Stevens
Aiken
803-663-3715

COMP FARM BELL
old, #3/\$350; ex lrg farm
bell, w/wheel, comp, \$1200;
#20 hash pots, \$200 each;
#15, \$150; more
Perry Masters
Greenville
864-561-4792

PLASTIC TANK
1600 gal, \$1200; bridge
hitch, \$200
Manning Bair
Dorchester
843-563-4114

3 HORSE SADDLES
leather/cloth, purple, \$250;
brown, \$175; pony, \$125; more
Paul Kicidis
Union
864-429-6112

VINTAGE PEA HUSKER
on wooden stand, \$70
Claude Lindler
Lexington
803-606-9657

HAND CORN SHELLE
\$80; Homelite pump, new,
\$250 & others; irrig hose,
\$75; pto shafts, \$85
George Schwab
York
803-493-8021

#20 MEAT GRINDER
Enterprise, \$60; blksmith post
vice, #2 by Columbian, \$200;
Blkhawk corn sheller, \$75
R Long
Newberry
803-924-9039

280 GAL OIL TANK
\$75 each; 55 gal plastic
barrel, \$9
Gary Seay
Spartanburg
864-578-8214

2H WAGON
old, VGC, horse drawn,
\$1200; more
James Hawkins
Spartanburg
864-576-4878

REAR WHL WTS
for FA Cub, FA-A-140,
\$100/set
Robert Yonce
Aiken
803-685-7240

WESTERN SADDLE
vintage parade, blk, EC, 300
James Frye
Charleston
843-408-5851

SCAG ZERO TURN MWR
52"cut, 25hp Kohler motor,
1000 hrs, deck lined w/SS,
\$3750; cast iron pots, 8+gals,
\$150+
D L Dimery
Lexington
803-796-2995

TOP SOIL/FILL DIRT
\$2/cy
R Adams
Darlington
843-393-7280

5x14 CATTLE PANELS
11 each, \$60 each; 4' gate in
12' panel, \$75
Larry Mcleod
Sumter
803-481-9093

CEDAR & UTILITY POLES
6-40'L, \$1-3/ft
James Burns
Laurens
864-918-6308

GQF INCUBATORS & HATCHERS
holds 270 eggs w/auto
turner, \$350 each or \$600
for both
Bob Cathey
Anderson
864-303-8203

DR BUGGY
w/folding top, hyd brakes,
rubber on whls, EC, \$1200
Harry Isbell
Anderson
864-617-2627

USED TRACTOR TIRES
good for veg/flower beds, \$20;
5 gal buckets, w/lids, \$1.50
Billy Gallman
Newberry
803-276-7171

BUDD ALUM WHLS
11x24.5, \$85; 5 gal buckets
w/lids, \$1.85; fuel tank w/
gauge, \$105
F Rowe
Newberry
803-271-7768

TRASH WATER PUMP
Harbor Freight 158GPM, w/
fittings & hoses, 212cc gas
eng, 80' head, LN, \$95
Mark Housley
Greenville
864-714-6241

SAND CLAY & TOPSOIL
5 ton load, \$50/sand clay;
\$75/topsoil, del w/in 20 mi;
\$19/ton crushed run, \$50 del
David Wannamaker
Calhoun
803-682-2117

OAK FIREWOOD
del, stacked, cut to size, full
size p-up, Cola areas, \$125
Ronald Wright
Richland
803-606-1666

2 POLY STORAGE TANKS
each 5000 gal, \$2000 each
Danny McAlhaney
Bamberg
803-793-7095

(2) 6000 GAL TANKS
fiberglass w/(2) 3" openings,
GC, \$800 each
Maxie Auerhamer
Aiken
803-315-3026

100 COLLAPSIBLE CRATES
for market, harvest & storage,
mod 6425, open, 24"Lx16"W
x11"H, \$7 each obo
John Mahon
Chesterfield
843-910-7352

TRACTOR PARTS
for '66 Ford 2000, water
pump kit, hoses, thermostat,
muffler, all new, \$65
Barney Williams
Lexington
803-543-8715

CHICKEN LITTER
tractor trl qty, \$450/load w/
in 40 mi of Newberry
Evan Horne
Newberry
803-960-2699

CARPENTER BEE TRAPS
to catch & dispose, lots of 5
for \$85, w/instr
William Timmerman
Aiken
803-640-6265

LAWN SWEEPER
Craftsman mod #486 24221,
\$150
Nina Shirer
Richland
803-772-8120

CEDAR LUMBER
1x8x8 & 11', \$2.50/bf;
ground nesting boxes, used
prev for waterfowl, \$15 each
Kent Jewell
Lancaster
803-320-3708

WOOD PLANNER
Craftsman w/2hp elec
motor, \$750 obo; Troy Bilt
weed eater, w/pole saw
attach, \$200 obo
Otis Hembree
Spartanburg
864-316-1222

AIR DRIED PINE LUMBER
2x4x16', \$8; 2x6x12', \$9;
2x6x16', \$12; 2x8x16', \$15;
2x10x12', \$14; other sizes &
lengths
Thomas Jackson
Sumter
803-707-1061

60" ZERO 4WD TURN MWR
Kubota FZ 2100, dsl, 20 hp,
hyd deck, GC, \$3000
David Williams
Darlington
843-332-5204

JD SPRAYER TANK
6500-6700, \$1000; JD
sprayer pump 6500, new,
\$750; sprayer pump clutch,
new, \$400
Jeff Millen
Chester
803-789-5735

DSL WELDER
AC-DC Miller, 2500 low hrs,
50' of leads, \$6500
Stanley Taylor
Chester
803-789-5236

JD LAWN TRACTOR
67' model w/metal rnd
fender & old style metal pan
seat, not running, photos
avail, \$400
Greg Alewine
Lee
803-229-2322

HONEY BEE REMOVAL
swarms wanted, Richland,
Calhoun, Sumter Co's
Jim Christmas
Richland
803-920-6440

55 GAL FG DRUMS
metal & plastic, open tops,
lids & rings, \$15, \$20, \$25 ea;
275 gal port tow tanks, \$50
ea; more
Philip Poole
Union
864-427-1589

RND CEDAR POSTS
cut to var sizes, 4-10" dia,
6'-12'L, \$6-\$12 each, depend
on size; cut 4x4's, \$2/bdft
Douglass Britt
McCormick
864-391-3334

ANTIQUE SAWMILL
operational, needs motor,
Babbitt bearings replaced,
belts in FC, unused edger,
\$8500
Ben Joe Smith
Jasper
843-726-1021

HONEY BEES
\$100 for swarms; \$200 for 5
frame deep nuc; \$400 for 10
frame deep nuc
Beth May
Greenville
864-483-3059

4 LRG FAT PINE LOGS
4'L for kindling, \$105
Tom Kirkley
Lancaster
803-246-8195

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PURE BUFF ORPINGTON CHICKS
5 w/o & yngr, \$3 each
John Warner
Aiken
803-580-9994

LAYING HENS & 2 ROOS
RIR & Buffs, 1 y/o, \$20 for all
Jim Pryor
Lexington
803-319-2566

COTURNIX QUAIL
grown, \$5 each; quail
hatching eggs, \$8/dozen
Melvin Gaulden
York
803-324-0071

BRONZE TOM TURKEY
Rio Grande breed, 1 y/o, \$100
L Gunter
Lexington
803-532-7394

CHICKS
Egyptian Fayoumi, SR, \$6;
older sexed, \$12; \$50/trio,
good free range, disease
resistant, heat tolerant
Patricia Dukes
Calhoun
803-606-1140

2 WHT SILKIE ROOS
3 m/o, \$8 each; Silkie chicks,
2-4 w/o, \$10 each; hatching
eggs, \$60/dozen
Stefani Donald
Florence
843-610-7601

BANTAM COLUMBIAN COCHIN
prs & trios avail, \$30/pr,
\$50/trio
Michele Sheppard
Lexington
803-413-7974

GAME CHICKENS
YL Oak Groove, \$40;
Rndhead stag, \$20
James Higgins
Cherokee
864-619-9372

BANTAM HENS
roos & pullets, various
breeds, good layers &
setters, \$7.50 each
Bob Willis
Edgefield
803-634-1467

TURKEY POULTS
Jersey Buff, \$15-30 each
dpndg on age; guinea keets,
var colors if avail will w/
dep, \$5 each
Mike McKinney
Laurens
864-630-6137

8 M/O & 11 M/O RRI
1 roo & 11 hens, most layers,
feed incl, \$125 for all
Gladys Trower
Richland
803-834-4235

PEACOCKS
Indian Blue, 1 yng pr, \$250
Monty Day
Lexington
803-604-7245

SILKIE & LRG BREED ROOS
\$2
Ellen Chassereau
Lexington
864-386-7461

YNG GOSLINGS
grey & wht, \$8 each
Joe Tidwell
Lee
803-428-5632

GAME HATCH HENS
2 y/o, Gerard x Dr
Robinson, \$25; more
Russell Goings
Union
864-426-2309

SEX-LINK CHICKS
Heritage Delaware/Welsumer
(Delwel) cross, no ship, del
only, \$5 each; \$45/10
Glenn Murphey
Aiken
864-490-0746

WHT & SILVER KINGS
Homers, \$15 each; Rollers,
\$12 each; Giant Runts, \$75
each; Blk Asil chicks, \$10 ea
Lynn Claxton
Colleton
843-909-4285

GOLDEN COMET HENS
28 w/o & laying, debeaked,
vac, \$12
Lavenia Hentz
Richland
803-360-7760

LAVENDER ORPINGTON
15 hens & 2 roos, 1 y/o, \$15
each; chicks, \$5 each
Roger Todd
Anderson
864-617-4345

8 W/O SILKIE CHICKS
diff colors, \$5 each
Robert Wentzky
Anderson
864-760-3626

RABBITS

REX
yng, \$15 & \$20 each; grown
bucks, \$20 each
Philip Poole
Union
864-427-1589

8 W/O BROKEN NZ
8 does & 5 bucks, \$20 each
Brian Jenkins
Saluda
803-553-5774

CA & NZ/CA CROSS
6 wks+, \$20+
Spencer Pegues
Chesterfield
843-337-8860

LA COTTONTAILS
\$10 each
Danny Cook
Newberry
803-924-6953

DUTCH/LIONHEAD BUCKS
\$20; Standard Rex, in solid,
otter, & tri, \$35; no peds but
show quality
Emily Simon
Lancaster
803-627-7850

FLEMISH GIANT
adult, \$50; French Silver,
adult, 2 does & 1 buck, \$50
each; (2) 10 w/o French
Silver, \$40 each
Roger Todd
Anderson
864-617-4345

RABBITS
mostly Flemish/NZ/Rex
mixed, \$10+
Jeffrey O'Neal
Lexington
803-360-6448

100% NZ WHITES
\$35 each, disc on multiple
purchase
Gene McCarthy
Edgefield
803-270-4839

WANT - FARM EQUIPMENT

OLDER GN EQUIP TRL
solid, 25'+, 10 ton, dual tires
Kenneth Cordray
Dorchester
843-509-7720

EXCAVATOR
full sized, GC, reasonably
priced, any brand
F Rowe
Newberry
803-271-7768

BOX SCRAPPER
pull type w/hyd lift & tilt
Cal Norris
Edgefield
864-378-2693

SQ HAY BALE CONVEYOR
w/elec motor
Reid Bailey
Abbeville
864-323-6690

HOOD
for JD 5200 tractor
Robert Hurley
Laurens
864-981-5352

ROP
for 3600 Ford tractor; Post
hole auger, 3pt, 12" or 9"
auger bit
Mason Motley
Richland
803-600-2053

CASE IH 685 OR 695
low hrs, GC, w/roll bar or
cab, 24' do-all
Jeff Millen
Chester
803-789-5735

SM - MED TRACTOR
w/bush hog, in VGC
Thurman Anderson
Spartanburg
864-431-9168

WOOD MIZER SAWMILL
in GC
Wendell Whelchel
Cherokee
864-489-1050

WANT - LIVESTOCK

EACH AD MUST LIST SPECIFIC ANIMALS.

PIGEONS
pure wht Hubble prs
R Adams
Darlington
843-393-7280

BELTED GALLOWAY
bull, cow or hefrs, near
Greer, to buy
Tim Freeman
Spartanburg
864-270-1158

BEEF COWS
or dairy cows, any age or size
Kenneth Satterfield
Laurens
864-876-0893

AUTO SEX KING PIGEONS
Swiss Mondane pigeons,
or any reasonably priced
poultry
Lynn Claxton
Colleton
843-909-4285

HATCHING EGGS
any color Guinea & B B Red
Bantam, 50 mi of Hartsville
Brett Pate
Darlington
843-383-0359

WANT - MISCELLANEOUS

4 HEAD BLOCK PLANNER
Vance or Newman; sawmill
edger, for sawmill work,
both in WC & be power
PTO order belt
Berley Rister
Lexington
803-237-2538

CATALPA WORMS
to populate 2 small trees
Randy Luthren
Lexington
803-667-2008

SYRUP KETTLE
anvils, any size wash pots,
old lighting rod w/balls
& weathervane, lrg coffee
grinder, more
Perry Masters
Greenville
864-561-4792

WASH POTS
blksmith anvil, any size
farm bells
R Long
Abbeville
803-924-9039

FIELDS OF LONG LEAF PINE STRAW
top prices paid, 15 yrs exp
Trey Shull
Lexington
803-318-4263

PULPWOOD SAW TIMBER
hdwd pine, all types of
thinning or clear cut, pay
top prices, Upstate Co's
Tim Morgan
Greenville
864-420-0251

BLK SMITH ANVIL
any size, & old farm bell,
any size; hand crank corn
sheller
L Gunter
Lexington
803-532-7394

PINE SAWTIMBER
Pine pulpwood & Hdwd, we
cut sm or lrg tracts, 8A+
H Yonce
Edgefield
803-275-2091

ISO IRON & CLAY PEA SEED
Field pea seed, or Dixie Lee
pea seed
Brett Pate
Darlington
843-383-0359

5V CRIMP TIN
no chicken house metal
David Wannamaker
Calhoun
803-682-2117



Commissioner Hugh Weathers made a visit to Crescent Dairy in Walterboro ahead of Dairy Month, which will be observed in June. Crescent Dairy is an aseptic processing and packaging facility built to produce milk and beverages in shelf-stable containers. Weathers is a former dairy farmer.

GREENVILLE STATE FARMERS MARKET WELCOMES NEW MANAGER

BY SAMANTHA DAY

The Greenville State Farmers Market is a retail market home to a year-around produce vendor and a horticultural vendor – and now to Lia Sanders, the new Market Manager.

Before she started working for the South Carolina Department of Agriculture as the Greenville Market Manager almost two months ago, Sanders and her husband owned and operated their own restaurant that emphasized fresh, local produce and seafood, supporting South Carolina farmers.

Her current responsibilities as Market Manager include the office basics of emailing and organizing, as well as helping maintain market grounds and vendor relations. Her plate is currently full of market maintenance projects, including fencing the property and other landscaping work.

Sanders grew up in the agricultural business. Her father was a farmer, and also worked for the

State of South Carolina’s previous Farm Labor Division, now SC Works. She was born and raised in Yonges Island, which is a small community nestled between Charleston and Edisto Island. There she reluctantly helped farm her dad’s summer garden every year during her summer vacation from school.

“Now I wish I had the green thumb he did; my garden is severely lacking compared to his,” Sanders says when reminiscing on those summer months during her childhood.

When Sanders isn’t busy at the market, she enjoys exploring the Upstate with her family. They recently relocated there and are trying to hike to a beautiful waterfall every month.



Sanders visits a produce market in France.

“When we can’t do that I love working in the yard and reading,” Sanders says.

Sanders has big plans for the Greenville market and is currently working on increasing the awareness of the market and securing more vendors.

“I wish more people knew about our Saturday Vendor Market,” Sanders says. “We have fresh produce, plants, baked goods, and crafts.”

So, next time you’re in the Greenville area be sure to stop by and give her a visit. The Greenville State Farmers Market is located at 1354 Rutherford Road in Greenville and is open Monday through Saturday from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. for retail sales.

CLEMSON RESEARCHER TO LEAD GROUP DRIVING REVIVAL OF SOUTHERN HEIRLOOM CROPS

BY CLEMSON UNIVERSITY

A Clemson University research scientist renowned for his role in reviving the original Southern peanut crop from only a handful of seeds has been elected President of the Carolina Gold Rice Foundation.

Brian Ward, based out of Clemson’s Coastal Research and Education Center in Charleston and a member of the university’s Department of Horticulture, specializes in sustainable agriculture, organic cultivation, specialty crop production and agricultural biotechnology.

“Dr. Ward brings both real world knowledge of farming and scientific insight to the task of advancing the purposes of the Foundation,” Carolina Gold Rice Foundation Chair David Shields said in announcing Ward’s election.

The Carolina Gold Rice Foundation has been a driving force in reviving the classic ingredients of southern regional food, crops abandoned in the 20th century when productivity and disease resistance mattered more than flavor and nutrition in agriculture.

Brian Ward is a research scientist with Clemson Coastal Research and Education Center in Charleston. He specializes in increasing historically significant very rare seed for biosecurity and conducting organic research in legume, grain and vegetable rotations.

In his inaugural remarks at the foundation’s quarterly meeting in February, Ward pledged to continue the Foundation’s mission of promoting the cultivation of rice and other landrace grains, to develop seed support for heirloom cereals, to engage in agricultural education and outreach, and to blaze trails of innovative non-commodity farming in the region.

“My vision for the Carolina Gold Rice Foundation is to build upon what has been accomplished thus far, which is advancing the original goals of repatriation of the southern foodways through the sustainable restoration of rice, grain and other important culinary ingredients vital in southern historical cuisine,” he said.

Ward won national attention for his role in bringing the original southern peanut, the Carolina African Runner Peanut, back from virtual extinction. His work with Purple Straw Wheat won notice in “Modern Farmer” magazine.

“Dr. Ward was instrumental in the revival of the ancestral peanut of the South: the Carolina African Runner Peanut,” Shields said. “After some years of searching, we found that a peanut breeder associated with North Carolina State University had some seeds in his freezer. 20 seeds were sent to Dr. Ward; 14 of which germinated. And from that the small, sweeter Carolina African Runner Peanut has been revived, and there are a number of significant chefs who feature them.”

The Foundation’s first role was to do the research, compiling all the components of the cuisine and came up with a list of about 40 varieties that were functionally extinct that were once sort of lynchpins — that is, over 50 years of continuous use — in classic Southern cooking. And those became the focus of its attempts to restore them.

Besides Carolina Gold Rice, CGRF has fostered the revival of benne, sea island red peas, purple ribbon sugar cane, Bradford Watermelons, purple straw wheat, Cocke’s Prolific Corn, Jimmy Red Corn, Sea Island White Flint Corn, Guinea Flint Corn, rice peas and a dozen other items.

“Because (Ward) is an expert in soil science and organic agriculture is very important, because you can’t grow these old, heirloom grain varieties using modern, conventional, chemical-supplementation methods ... organic cultivation, which is much more adjusted to the growing profiles of particular plants, is the best way to cultivate these heirloom varieties,” Shields added. “So that’s why he has emerged as a really significant player over the past 15 years.”

Ward said he had great respect for the entire spectrum of disciplines that have been making the missions of the Carolina Gold Rice Foundation possible to date.

“I have learned that this mission is not accomplished by one person or a specific group of people, yet by a multifaceted group of people that can nurture individual components of the repatriation of rice culture in South Carolina and

other southern states,” he said. “I used to think that it was a simple as a landowner with good water and some seed, then I realized that it takes culinary historians, scientists, seeds men and women, growers to mention a few. Now I realize that it takes a lot more from geneticists, chefs, millers, marketers, cultural leaders and more.”



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Ward also expressed a desire for the Foundation cooperate with the new Southern Heritage Crops initiative headed by Dave Lamie of Clemson and to open up the Bradshaw Collection of Heirloom plants to public use.

In addition to Ward, a number of other current and new members sit on the CGRF board who represent Clemson:

— Amy Lawton-Rauh, Professor, Genetics and Biochemistry Department and Associate Provost for Faculty Affairs;

— Dil Thavarajah, Associate Professor of Pulse Quality and Nutrition and Clemson University School of Health Faculty Research Scholar;

— Stephen Kresovich, Robert and Lois Coker Trustees Endowed Chair of Genetics, Plant and Environmental Sciences Department, Public Service Activities, Genetics and Biochemistry Department;

— Richard Boyles, Assistant Professor of Plant Breeding & Genetics

THE BISCUIT BUSINESS

SCDA SPONSORS NEW ETV DOCUMENTARY ABOUT CARRIE MOREY OF CALLIE’S HOT LITTLE BISCUIT

BY SAMANTHA DAY

Carrie Morey, a native of the Lowcountry, grew up with buttery soft biscuits served at every meal. She was inspired by her mother’s recipe for tender, made-by-hand biscuits and thought the world should be able to experience them firsthand. Morey founded Callie’s Hot Little Biscuit over 15 years ago in hopes of preserving the made-by-hand tradition of biscuit making. What started as a mail order biscuit company has now expanded into several grab-and-go eateries scattered throughout South Carolina, Georgia, and North Carolina and employs over 80 workers.

How She Rolls is a new half-hour long documentary series that follows Morey’s journey of juggling a successful business, while continuing to be a mentor, wife, and a mother to three girls. A bonus is watching how Morey remained resilient and innovative throughout the COVID-19 pandemic by handling spoiling perishables, staff furloughs, mask mandates and scaled down operations due to social distancing guidelines.

This culinary documentary includes appearances from other South Carolina figures, such as Charleston barbecue pitmaster Rodney Scott. *How She Rolls* allows viewers to follow Morey on road trips, at food festivals, in her own kitchen, and even at her family events where viewers will be introduced to her

her ingredients are grown right here in South Carolina. In the first episode of *How She Rolls* you can catch Carrie using Certified SC Grown oyster mushrooms in her demonstration of making handmade biscuits served with mushroom gravy at the 2020 Southeastern Wildlife Exposition (SEWE) in Charleston. By using Certified SC Grown products, Morey is supporting local farms and farmers throughout our state.



“It is my hope that *How She Rolls* will inspire families to gather around the supper table together more often, help small business owners know that they are not alone in the ups and downs of entrepreneurship, and that it will bring recognition to some truly amazing farmers and purveyors across our beautiful state,” said Morey in an SCETV press release about the shows’ May 13 premiere.

You can support this South Carolina entrepreneur by watching *How She*

Rolls locally on South Carolina ETV (SCETV) on Thursdays at 9pm. *How She Rolls* is also distributed nationally by Public Broadcasting Service (PBS).

mother, Calli; father, Donald; husband, John; and her three daughters, Caroline, Cate, and Sarah.

Callie’s Hot Little Biscuit is a Fresh on the Menu restaurant, which means that at least 25% of

SCDA HOSTS CONGRESSIONAL STAFF ON AG TOUR

BY SAMANTHA DAY AND HANNAH ARNDT

Each year, staff members of South Carolina’s congressional delegation take an agriculture-focused tour of a region of the state and visit the agribusinesses that thrive in them.

In partnership with the Palmetto Agribusiness Council (PABC), SCDA helped host the 2021 Congressional Staff Tour on Tuesday, May 25.

This year, Assistant Commissioners Aaron Wood and Clint Leach and SCDA staff members Cristina Key, Kate Daly, and Hannah Arndt were joined by Congressional staff members from every district, alongside PABC staff.

The tour began at Vertical Roots, housed at the State Farmers Market in West Columbia. Vertical

Roots is the largest hydroponic container farm in the U.S. and offers a variety of produce year-round.

The next stop was just a stone’s throw away at Senn Brothers Produce, a wholesaler at the State Farmers Market.

Next on the agenda was a visit to Manchester Farms’ processing plant in Hopkins. Manchester Farms began operation in the 1970s and is now a second-generation family farm, and the oldest quail farm in the nation.

The next destination of the tour remained in the Hopkins area at Millaree Hunt Club. Milliken Forestry hosted guests at the club, which is home to a large timber tract and hunting grounds near

the Congaree river. Staffers were able to travel around the property to see various stage of timber tract operations.

This yearly tour is used as an opportunity for congressional staff members to experience and see firsthand how South Carolina farms and agribusinesses are operated, and to allow networking with farmers and industry leaders. This tour was a great opportunity for attendees to discuss the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic on South Carolina and plans for recovery, as well as have significant discussion about labor shortages and supply chain issues that many South Carolina farmers are currently facing.

